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WHOLE No 1158

## TWO RUNAWAY COUPLES.

Leave On Short Notice Saturday Night For Rock Hill To Be Married.

Concord has a splendid reputation for marrying people, but there are times when couples do not care to marry in their own town, but would rather go to a State where they can procure license without much trouble.

This seems to have been the case with two couples at Cannonville, as they boarded the train Saturday night for Rock Hill, where they were married. There was strong opposition on the part of the parents of both couples. But it's all over now.

One of the couples was Mr. Charles Klutz, son of Mr. Alfred Klutz, and Miss Daisy Holdbrooks, daughter of Mr. Elijah Holdbrooks. The other couple was Mr. Fleet Morris and Miss Kate Brown, daughter of Mr. J R Brown.

The parents of all of the parties involved seem to be quite worried over the affair.

Don't annoy others by your coughing, and risk your life by neglecting a cold. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all throat and lung troubles.—Gibson's Drug Store.

### Is It Possible?

Prof. Wright loves to see things going right, so on last Friday at noon he left right for Mecklenburg where he remained a right long time. Madam Rumor says he is soon to follow right in the tracks of Dr. Crowell. This is all right Prof. Wright.—China Grove Record.

After years of untold suffering from piles, B W Pursell, of Knitnersville, Pa., was cured by using a single box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Skin diseases such as eczema, rash, pimples and obstinate sores are readily cured by this famous remedy.—Gibson's Drug Store.

### A Destructive Fire.

From the China Grove Record we take the following:

"The residence of Mr. John Corriher, with all its contents was burned on last Thursday night. The fire is supposed to have originated in a defective flue. Mr. Corriher was quite severely burned while trying to save some of his household effects."

Whooping cough is the most distressing malady; but its duration can be cut short by the use of One Minute Cough Cure, which is also the best known remedy for croup and all lung and bronchial troubles.—Gibson's Drug Store.

### Notice.

Special communication of Stokes Lodge, No. 32, A. F. and A. M., this (Monday) evening at 8 o'clock.

All Masons are most earnestly requested to be on hand, as there is important business to come before the lodge.

JAS. C FINK, W. M.  
R A BROWER Sec'y.

## LOOK

Any one wishing to purchase a new, High-Arm, Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, four drawers, cover and end leaf, fine oak finish, with complete attachments, should call at this office. We only have one, and will offer the buyer special price.

**BACKACHE and RHEUMATISM relieved by DeWitt's Nerve Plasters**

## KINNEY GAINES

In the Suit Against the Southern Railway Company at Lexington.

Lexington, March 19.—Court adjourned this afternoon. The case that excited the most interest during this term of court was that of J O Kinney against the North Carolina Railroad Company. The trial took two and a half days and was completed today about two o'clock, when it was given to the jury and a recess taken for dinner. Six speeches were made to the jury, four of them this morning. The argument was closed for the defendant by Capt. Charles Price and for the plaintiff by Hon. C B Watson. The jury determined upon the verdict in less than an hour, answering the issues as follows:

1. Was the plaintiff injured by negligence of defendant's lessee? Answer—Yes.

2. Did the plaintiff by his negligence contribute to his injury? Answer—No.

3. Notwithstanding the contributing negligence of the plaintiff, might the injury have been avoided by reasonable care on the part of the defendant's lessee? Answer—

4. What damage has the plaintiff sustained by the reason of such injury? Answer—\$20,000.

5. Is the defendant company answerable for the negligence of the lessee company in this action? Answer—Yes.

The defendant moved for a new trial on the ground of excessive damage. Motion overruled. Defendant excepted and gave notice of appeal. Service of notice waived and appeal bond placed at \$100. The attorneys are making up the case for the Supreme court this evening.

The four first issues were excepted to by defendant and the defendant's attorneys submitted the fifth issue, which was answered by the judge.

### VERDICT A VINDICATION OF ALL DISCHARGED MEN—LINES OF THE SUIT.

Statesville, March 20.—The suit of Engineer Kinney against the North Carolina railroad, which has been on trial for three days, ended in Lexington yesterday evening. Kinney was the engineer on No. 11 on the morning of April 11, 1897, when No. 11 and No. 36 collided and killed four persons and injured several others. Kinney was horribly scalded, maimed for life and not expected to live. But he did survive, and he and Conductor Lovell and Engineer Tunstall and Conductor Gentry, on No. 36, were all discharged by the railroad. Kinney brought suit. The lines on which the case was brought were that Kinney charged that the disaster was due to negligence in Superintendent Ryder's office, and the railroad charged the negligence on the plaintiff and his associate employees. The jury found that Kinney was not to blame and fixed the railroad with negligence and gave Kinney a verdict for \$20,000. The verdict is a vindication of all the discharged men. The plaintiff's attorneys were B F Long, C B Watson and F C Robbins, and the defendant's were G F Bason, Charles Price and Walser & Walser.

What pleasure is there in life with a headache, constipation and biliousness? Thousands experience them who could become perfectly healthy by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers the famous little pills.—Gibson's Drug Store.

## PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Gus Sells, of Salisbury, spent Sunday in our city.

—Rev. C B Miller returned this morning from Rowan county.

—Editor Starrette, of the China Grove Record, was seen on the streets today.

—Mr. Charles Lentz, of Mt. Holly, passed through the city on his way to Mt. Pleasant, his former home, yesterday.

## COTTON SEED

### For Cows

### FOR SALE BY

## Ervin & Morrison

### GROCCERS

### THE KLONDIKE RUSH.

Asheville Boy Advises the People to Steer Clear of It.

That all that glitters is not from the Klondike is shown by a letter to a member of the Citizen staff from Ed F Baird, of Asheville, who recently went to Seattle with the purpose of making that city his home. Mr. Baird says:

"There is one thing I can say with great sincerity, and that is the Klondike excitement and reports are a fake, started by the transportation companies and merchants in Seattle. It was reported in the evening paper here today that a party had arrived from Dawson with \$200,000 in gold. We had the pleasure of having an interview with this party, and they say the paper has exaggerated and misrepresented the facts. They say they have come back with some gold, but would not say how much. A victim of the Klondike landed at Skagaway a few days ago without a dollar in his pocket. The transportation company offered to give him free passage to Seattle provided he would substantiate the report they would make about him in the paper. He agreed to do this, and it was reported in the papers that he brought back \$15,000. So you see you can't believe everything you see in the papers.

"W A Boyce, after investigating the matter, has decided not to go to Klondike. It is very probable that W L Ketchum and another party from North Carolina will go.

"I hope no more of our good townsmen will be caught by the gold fever. Ed Hunt is still cutting ice on the Yukon. The boat he is on is frozen in 60 miles from St. Michael's. If you hear of any one thinking of going to the gold fields tell them to stay at home. There is no place like Asheville."—Asheville Citizen.

### Backler's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Fettered Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at P B Fetzer's Drug store.

New York, March 16, 1898. Messrs. Cannon & Fetzer Co., Concord, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—Today I bought from Kriechbaum's 53 lots of clothing aggregating over 500 suits. Everyone of these was to "close," and on a basis of prices that will enable us to give them to our customers at less than wholesale prices.

I saved more than a fair profit in buying.

We struck the market just at the right time. The bulk of the trade is over. The choicest and best-selling styles are sold down to small lots, and they are anxious to clean up, especially as they need the sample racks for fall samples, which are even now ready.

We get the best styles, and at such big advantages that we can give our customers clothing at less than wholesale price.

I also bought on Green street 100 sample suits of the finest goods. We can sell them at about three-fourths of the wholesale price.

I got a magnificent lot of Children's fancy Vestee Suits. We can fit and please every child, boy or man in the county and save them money too.

Weather is warm here.  
Yours, etc.,  
P. B. FETZER.



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Is our handsome stock of stylish shoes for men's wear. We have them in all widths and sizes in fine French Calf, Vici-Kid and Russet leather for spring and summer wear, with modified Bull-dog, Rugby, Ludgate, Newport, Coin and French plain Toes, (Latest Toes.)

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**Dry Miller,**  
Shoe Furnishers.

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